

Ridgeview Animal Hospital



SYMPTOM CHECKLIST FOR SENIOR CATS

Date: _____

Owner: _____

Please check all that apply to your cat:

Behavior / Neurologic

- My cat is just not acting like himself/herself.
- My cat is not seeking as much attention and interacts less with the family.
- My cat seems confused or disoriented.
- My cat has been vocalizing for no apparent reason.
- My cat's sleeping patterns have changed.
- My cat has had tremors or episodes of shaking.
- My cat has displayed circling, head tilts, or repetitive movements.

Body Functions

- My cat has bad breath and red or swollen gums.
- My cat has difficulty chewing.
- My cat's eating habits have changed.
- My cat has gained / lost weight. (circle one)
- I'm filling my cat's water bowl more often. (Drinking more)
- My cat's litter box is more wet. (Urinating more)
- My cat is urinating or defecating outside of the litter box.
- My cat's bowel habits have changed (increased frequency, diarrhea, constipation, straining). (circle all that apply)
- My cat vomits.
- My cat seems to have trouble seeing or hearing.

Heart / Lungs

- My cat has been coughing, or seems winded after playing.
- My cat tires more rapidly or seems short of breath.

Activity / Orthopedics

- I have noticed a change in my cat's behavior or activity level.
- My cat has difficulty climbing stairs and jumping.
- My cat limps, especially after exercise.
- My cat shows signs of pain.

Skin and Coat

- My cat scratches, licks, and chews excessively.
- My cat has changes in haircoat, skin, or new lumps or bumps.
- My cat's skin has an odor.

What foods and treats are you currently feeding your cat?

How often? _____

Do you have any specific questions or concerns about your cat?

Pet: _____

Circle Your Cat's Age in Human Years

Age	Weight (0-20 lbs)
1	7
2	13
3	20
4	26
5	33
6	40
7	44
8	48
9	52
10	56
11	60
12	64
13	68
14	72
15	76
16	80
17	84
18	88
19	92
20	96
21	100
22	104
23	108
24	112
25	116

Youngster
Adult
Senior
Geriatric

